

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Akira SUGA, ET AL.) : Examiner: Tuan V. Ho
Appln. No.: 09/785,249) : Group Art Unit: 2622
Filed: February 20, 2001) : Confirmation No.: 6806
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR) June 2, 2006
INHIBITING CONTROL APPARATUSSES
FROM CONTROLLING CAMERA WHEN
ANOTHER CONTROL APPARATUS
CONTROLS CAMERA (As Amended))

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND SUBMISSION OF TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Official Action dated May 2, 2006, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: